

**Supplement to  
Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application  
English Language Declaration  
For Signature By 37 CFR 1.47(b) Applicant on Behalf of Nonsigning  
Inventors Who Refuse to Sign**

I, Hidemasa Kitagawa hereby declare that I am a citizen of Japan residing at :

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Title: General Manager

By virtue of this proprietary interest, I sign this declaration under 37 CFR 1.47(b) on behalf of, and as agent for the nonsigning inventor, particulars of whom are:

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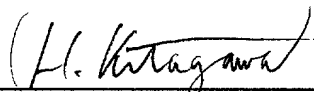
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Upon information and belief, I aver those fact that the inventor is required to state, 37 C.F.R. § 1.64 (b).

Hidemasa Kitagawa, General Manager

signature



Date

Hidemasa Kitagawa  
General Manager IP Development Center  
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# Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

## English Language Declaration

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

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I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

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1. I agree to communicate in writing to an executive or other designated person of the Company all inventions and improvements made or thought of by me (even if made or thought of together with another person) if made or thought of while I am an employee of Company, if such inventions and improvements were: (i) worked on, in whole or in part, during business hours or (ii) relate to or are in any way connected with the business or operations of the Company. This obligation applies whether or not I have been requested by the Company to work on the development of such inventions and improvements.
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3. I hereby assign to the Company all rights I may have in such (i) inventions and improvements and (ii) Works, and agree to assist the Company in every way (but entirely at the Company's expense) to obtain and maintain for its benefit or the benefit of its designees any and all patent applications and patents and/or copyrights, as applicable, or other protections for such inventions, improvements, and Works, anywhere in the world. I will sign all papers, and do all things reasonably requested to obtain and maintain the rights of the Company or its designees in such inventions, improvements, and Works, and to preserve them as the property of the Company or its designees, whether or not they are patented or copyrighted.
4. Should I commence work on any invention or improvement, I will make, and keep, a written record of the work done with regard to such invention or improvement, in the form of notes, sketches, drawings or reports. I will date all entries in that record and have the entry witnessed by a co-worker.
5. The obligations in paragraphs 1, 2 and 4 shall continue for six (6) months after the termination of my employment with respect to inventions, improvements and Works derived from Confidential Information (as defined in the Confidentiality Agreement signed by me), and the obligations in paragraph 3 shall continue indefinitely, even after termination of my employment.

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6. All rights of the Company in this agreement may be transferred to any parent, subsidiary or affiliated company or any successor company, and in such event I will deal with the parent, subsidiary, affiliate or successor as though it were the Company.
7. I understand that this document does not constitute a contract or agreement of employment.

Date: P 7-6-98  
(SIGNATURE)

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